

Annual Peak-Flow Frequency Analysis

For more information on the contents of this documentation, see Kessler and others (2013).

Streamgage number and name:

05244440 Leaf River near Aldrich, Minn.

Peak-flow information:

Number of systematic peak flows in record	40
Systematic period begins	1972
Systematic period ends	2011
Length of systematic record	40
Years without information	0
Number of historical peak flows in record	0

Frequency analysis options:

Method	Bulletin 17B
Skew option	Weighted
Generalized skew	-0.026
Standard error of generalized skew	0.426
Low-outlier method	Bulletin 17B Grubbs-Beck test

Bulletin 17B systematic record analysis results:

Moments of the common logarithms of the peak flows:

Mean	deviation	Skewness
3.2580	0.2790	-0.319

Outlier criteria and number of peak flows exceeding:

Low	323.3	0
High	10146.1	0

Bulletin 17B Final analysis results:

Moments of the common logarithms of the peak flows:

Standard		
Mean	deviation	Skewness
3.2580	0.2790	-0.186

Annual frequency curve at selected exceedance probabilities:

[WIE, Weighted independent estimate; --, not computed]

Exceedance probability	Peak estimate	Lower-95 level	Upper 95 level	WIE estimate	Lower-95 WIE level	Upper 95 WIE level
0.9950	310	198	425	--	--	--
0.9900	372	248	499	--	--	--
0.9500	609	447	768	--	--	--
0.9000	786	603	964	--	--	--
0.8000	1,060	854	1,270	--	--	--
0.6667	1,400	1,160	1,650	--	--	--
0.5000	1,850	1,560	2,190	1,900	1,560	2,320
0.4292	2,070	1,750	2,470	--	--	--
0.2000	3,130	2,610	3,890	3,210	2,600	3,960
0.1000	4,070	3,330	5,280	4,220	3,330	5,350
0.0400	5,350	4,250	7,280	5,620	4,220	7,490
0.0200	6,350	4,940	8,930	6,730	4,840	9,360
0.0100	7,390	5,640	10,700	7,930	5,440	11,600
0.0050	8,470	6,360	12,600	--	--	--
0.0020	9,960	7,310	15,300	11,000	6,740	17,900

Peak-flow data used in the analysis:

Explanation of symbols and codes

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Water year	Peak flow	Peak-flow code	Water year	Peak flow	Peak-flow code
1972	3,250	--	1992	878	--
1973	1,430	--	1993	1,700	--
1974	4,440	--	1994	2,300	--
1975	3,950	--	1995	2,100	--
1976	950	--	1996	2,970	--
1977	450	--	1997	3,800	--
1978	2,410	--	1998	1,100	--
1979	5,170	--	1999	2,680	--
1980	2,060	--	2000	1,610	--
1981	400	--	2001	5,800	--
1982	3,910	--	2002	1,580	--
1983	1,330	--	2003	988	--
1984	1,580	--	2004	940	--
1985	2,500	--	2005	1,610	--
1986	3,260	--	2006	3,080	--
1987	1,120	--	2007	1,720	--
1988	633	--	2008	1,240	--
1989	1,780	--	2009	4,000	--
1990	930	--	2010	1,980	--
1991	1,030	--	2011	2,610	--